

ABSOLUTE RATING: **Excellent**
IMPROVEMENT RATING: **Excellent**

Number of high schools with students similar to ours: 31. The absolute ratings for those schools ranged from unsatisfactory to excellent. For the improvement ratings, the range was from unsatisfactory to excellent.

(Definitions of School Rating Terms on Page 4)

RATINGS OVER A 4-YEAR PERIOD

	Absolute Rating	Improvement Rating
2001	Excellent	Excellent
2002		
2003		
2004		

TENTH GRADE PASSAGE OF ONE OR MORE SUBTESTS OF THE EXIT EXAM

	Our School			Schools With Students Like Ours		
	1999	2000	2001	1999	2000	2001
• Passed all 3 subtests	73.5	76.5	82.8	61.3	63.1	67.1
• Passed 2 subtests	19.3	11.8	10.8	19.5	19.1	16.5
• Passed 1 subtest	3.6	7.1	4.3	11.9	11.0	10.2
• Passed no subtests	3.6	4.7	2.2	7.4	6.8	6.2

ELIGIBILITY FOR LIFE SCHOLARSHIPS	Our School	Schools With Students Like Ours
% of seniors eligible for LIFE Scholarships	25.0%	17.0%
% of seniors who met the SAT requirement	27.4%	17.9%
% of seniors who met the grade point average	57.1%	49.9%

Beginning in 2003, the graduation rate for each high school will be included in the school rating.

PERFORMANCE BY STUDENT GROUPS

Student Group	Seniors		
	Exit Exam Passage Rate by Spring 2001	Eligibility for LIFE Scholarships	Graduation Rate
All students	100.0%	25.0%	N/A until 2003
Students with disabilities other than speech	100.0%	0.0%	
Students without disabilities	100.0%	28.4%	
Gender			
Male	100.0%	21.4%	
Female	100.0%	28.6%	
Ethnic Group			
African American	100.0%	11.8%	
Hispanic	N/A	N/A	
White	100.0%	25.4%	
Other	N/A	N/A	
Lunch Status			
Free/reduced-price lunch	100.0%	8.7%	
Pay for lunch	100.0%	31.1%	

STUDENTS IN CAREER AND TECHNOLOGY COURSES

Mastering core competencies	82.7%
Completers placed	93.8%
Eligible students enrolled	54.5%

SCHOOL PROFILE

INDICATORS OF SCHOOL PERFORMANCE

	Our School	Change from Last Year	Schools with Students Like Ours	Median High School
SCHOOL				
• Dollars spent per student	\$6,609	N/A	\$5,302	\$5,668
• Prime instructional time	88.4%	Down from 91.0%	89.5%	90.1%
• Student-teacher ratio	24.6 to 1	N/A	25.0 to 1	25.1 to 1
STUDENTS (n=389)				
• Advanced Placement/ Int'l Baccalaureate Program Exam Success Ratio	57.1%	N/A	43.2%	40.0%
• Attendance rate	95.9%	Up from 95.7%	95.1%	95.3%
• Retention rate	12.5%	Up from 7.0%	10.7%	10.0%
TEACHERS (n=30)				
• Professional Development days per teacher	7.7 Days	Up from 7.2	7.6 Days	7.5 Days
• Attendance rate	93.8%	Down from 96.4%	95.7%	95.7%
• Teachers with advanced degrees	56.7%	Down from 70.4%	49.1%	49.4%
• Continuing contract teachers	76.7%	Down from 96.4%	79.3%	81.0%
• Teachers with out-of-field permits	3.3%	Down from 3.6%	2.6%	3.0%
• Teachers returning from the previous school year	77.3%	Down from 78.4%	84.7%	85.2%
• Average teacher salary	\$38,214	Up 6.1%	\$38,127	\$38,125

SCHOOL FACTS

	Our School	Change From Last Year	Schools with Students like ours	Median High School
SCHOOL				
• Dropout rate	0.0%	Down from 3.9%	3.3%	2.9%
• Percentage of expenditures spent on teacher salaries	51.0%	N/A	57.6%	56.4%
• Principal's years at the school	4.0	N/A	4.0	3.0
• Percent of parents attending conferences	53.0%	N/A	60.7%	60.1%
• Opportunities in the arts	Good	N/A	Excellent	Excellent
STUDENTS				
• Older than usual for grade	14.7%	Down from 15.2%	9.9%	10.1%
• Suspended or expelled	32	N/A	33	29
• Gifted and talented	17.8%	N/A	8.3%	7.4%
• With disabilities other than speech	11.7%	Up from 10.3%	11.3%	10.7%
• Career/technology students in co-curricular organizations	10.5%	N/A	6.4%	4.5%
• Enrollment in career and technology center courses	212	N/A	348	350
• Career students participating in work-based experiences	77.6%	N/A	29.7%	23.1%



PRINCIPAL'S / SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL REPORT

Johnsonville High School students' outstanding achievements on standardized tests and in academics, athletics, and fine arts; their earning of many awards, scholarships, and media recognition; and their performance on academic teams and the Advanced Placement exams are evidence of the implementation of the school's philosophy and goals. High expectations are demanded of our students by parents, teachers, administrators, and the community. Among our accomplishments are the following:

- Seniors received more than \$678,935 in scholarship offers and 48 of the 86 total number of senior members (56%) were candidates for the Life Scholarship.
- Two seniors were awarded South Carolina Palmetto Fellows Scholarships.
- Four juniors were selected to attend Governor's School.
- The SAT Team won Lower State and was Runner-up in State finals.
- The Math Team finished second in the Pee Dee Regional Math Tournament.
- The Academic Challenge Team was undefeated in the 2001 regular season.
- The Girls Volleyball Team finished as Lower State Champs and Runner-up in the State.
- The Girls Track Team won their fifth consecutive State championship.
- The Marching Band finished eighth in the State Marching Band Competition.
- Beginning in the 2002 school year, Johnsonville High School has been accepted by the Army to establish its own independent Junior Army ROTC program.

Cooperation and interaction between community and school serve to provide successful educational progress. Johnsonville High School exists in order to help each student develop his fullest potential and reach his optimum intellectual, physical, aesthetic, moral, and social development. The school's curriculum provides opportunities for frequent and varied student participation in school events, and adjustments are made according to the abilities and needs of the students.

James R. Berry, Principal

EVALUATIONS BY TEACHERS AND STUDENTS

Percent	Teachers	Students	Parents
Satisfied with learning environment	88.9	76.7	(Avail. 2002)
Satisfied with social and physical environment	92.6	88.3	
Satisfied with home-school relations	69.2	88.1	

DEFINITIONS OF SCHOOL RATING TERMS

Excellent – School performance substantially exceeds the standards for progress toward the 2010 SC Performance Goal.

Good – School performance exceeds the standards for progress toward the 2010 SC Performance Goal.

Average – School performance meets the standards for progress toward the 2010 SC Performance Goal.

Below Average – School is in jeopardy of not meeting the standards for progress toward the 2010 SC Performance Goal.

Unsatisfactory – School performance fails to meet the standards for progress toward the 2010 SC Performance Goal.

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Grades 9-12 High School

Enrollment: 389 Students

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THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

Annual School
Report Card

2001

School Grade:
Excellent

South Carolina Performance Goal:

By 2010, South Carolina's student achievement will be ranked in the top half of the states nationally. To achieve this goal, we must become one of the five fastest improving systems in the country.

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